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In re Application of : Wayne Cohen

Serial No. : 09/393,473 Examiner : Hsieh. S.

Filed : September 10, 1999 Group Art Unit : 2837

For : MARACA WITH FLEXIBLE HANDLE

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- 1. ☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.
- 2. ☐ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
- 3. ☒ No additional fee is required.

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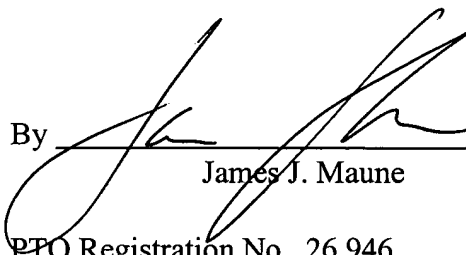
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Responsive to the Office Action mailed March 17, 2000, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

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